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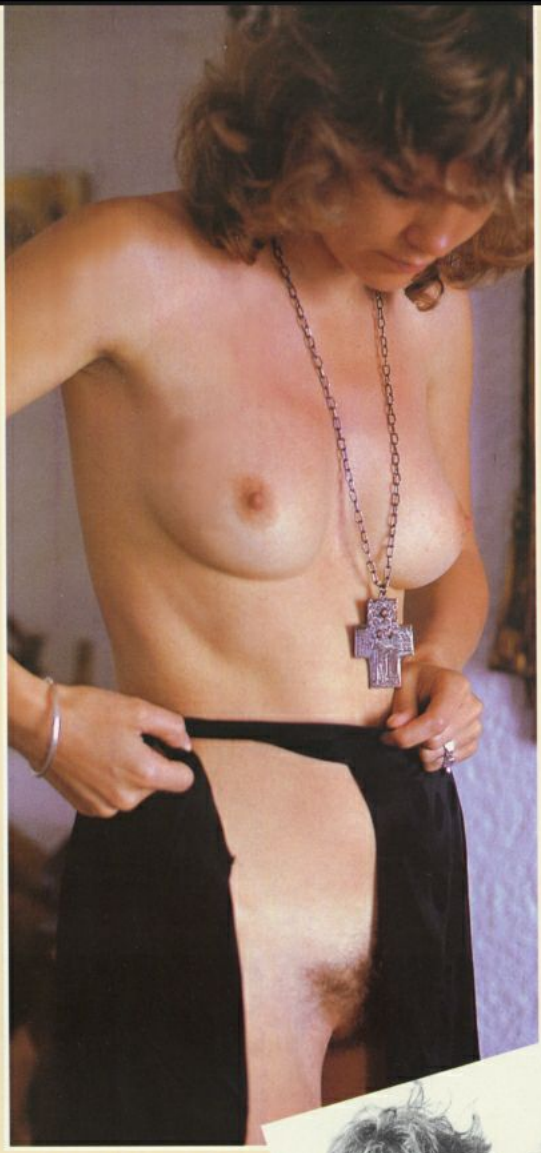
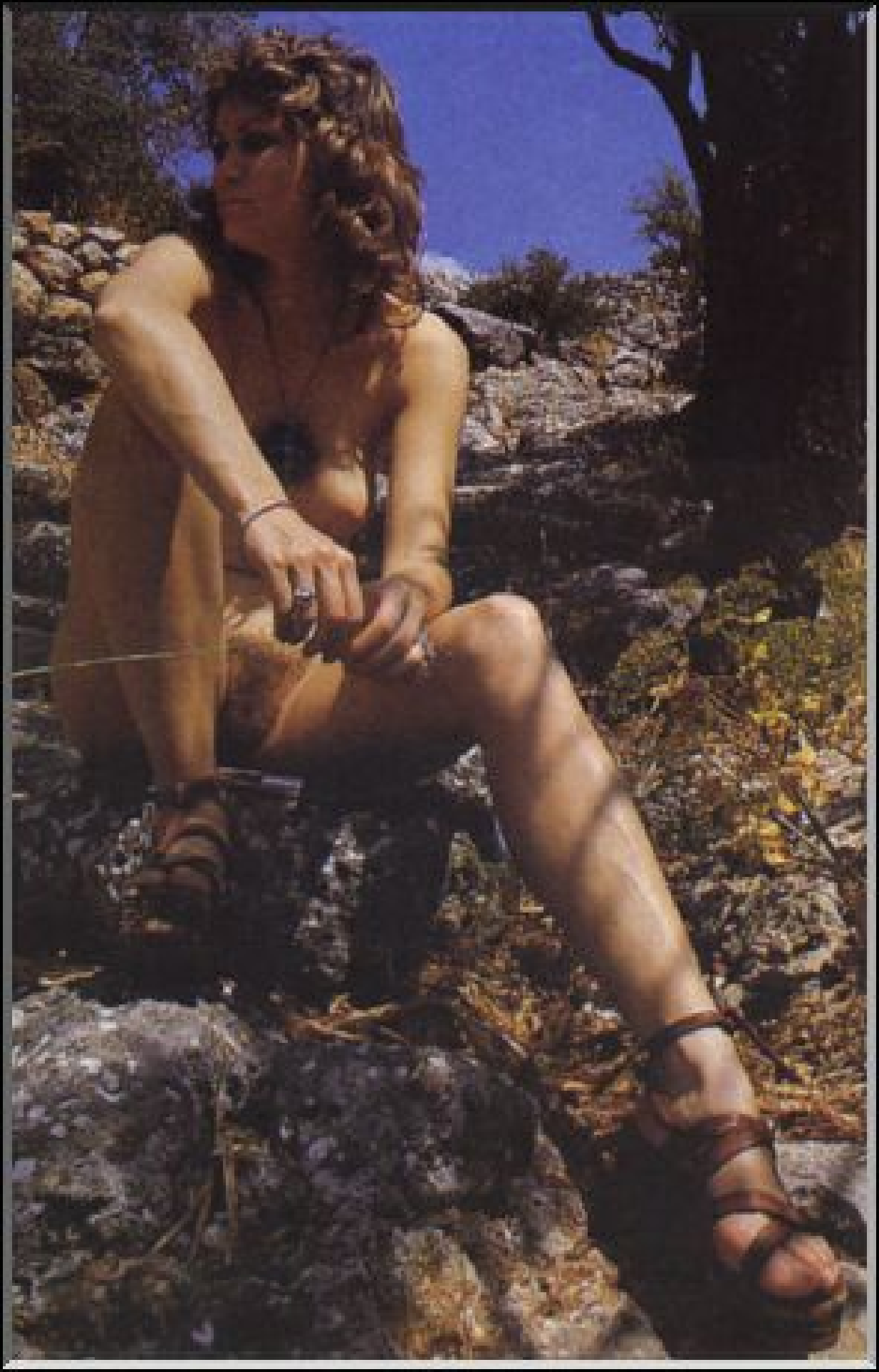
Richard Branson's lady Joan Templeman

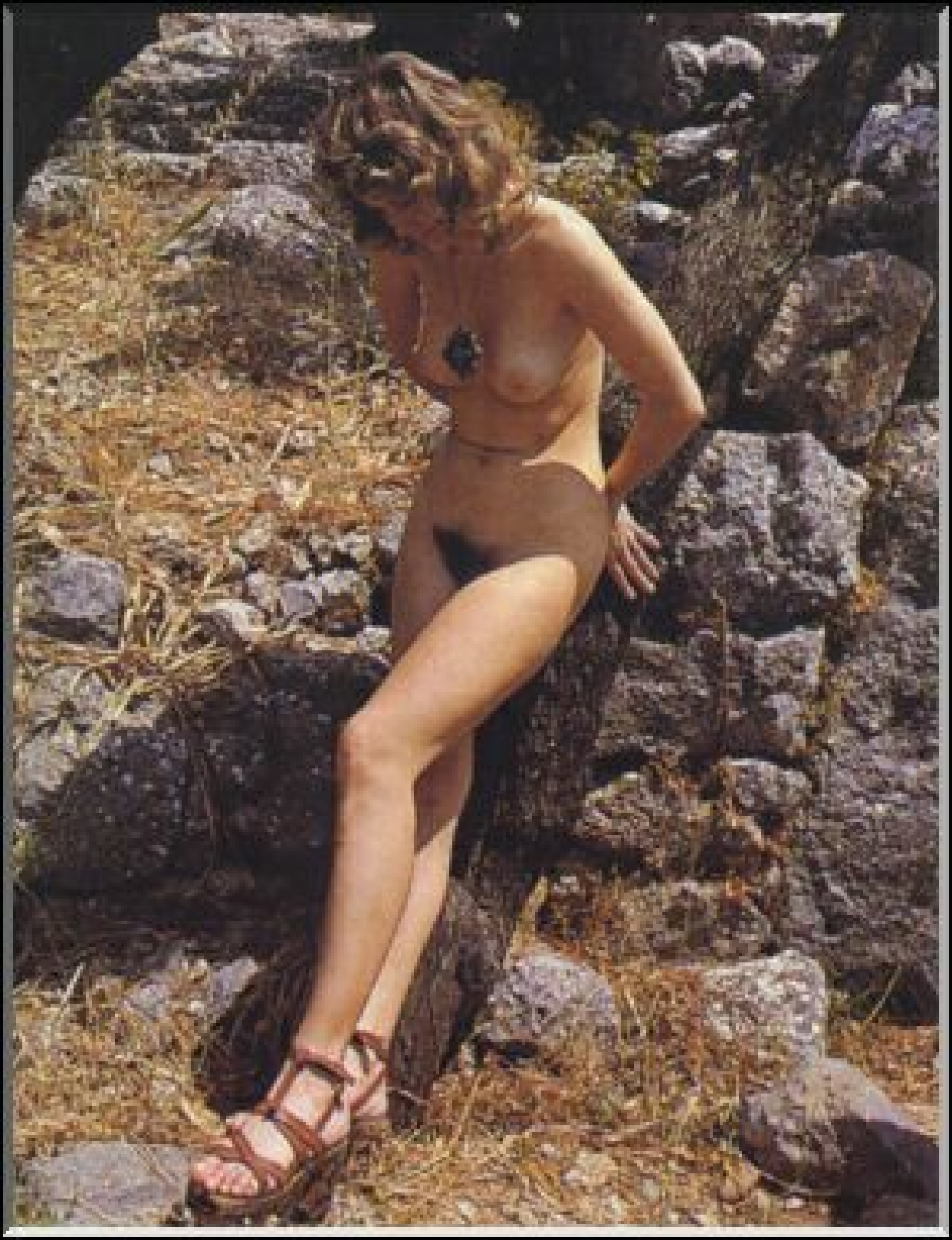
Richard Branson with Joan Templeman, his partner of over 11 years. Nowadays she leaves the media exposure to Richard.



Abseiling down Centrepoint, two attempts on the Blue Riband, and most recently an epic first ever hot air balloon flight across the Atlantic that almost ended in catastrophe — Britain's favourite entrepreneur Richard Branson seems to court danger as much as he does the headlines. But there's another, more private side to the life of Virgin Records' charismatic chairman, and it resides in the figure of his attractive partner, Joan. Joan, the mother of Richard's two children and his help mate for over 11 years, plainly provides the stable background for Richard's mercurial exploits. But this Glasgow-born blonde has not always been quite so self-effacing.

The Bransons are a devoted couple. 'We are opposites,' says Richard. But Joan has proved she can be just as daring as her partner.





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DONALD MILNE

W·E·N·D·Y

It was a case of hair today, gone tomorrow when 19-year-old Wendy Roberts took a job as receptionist at a hairdresser's. 'I only stayed two months because I didn't like it,' said our sexy and sultry Mancunian. 'I was too bored.'

Wendy had often considered the idea of modelling her full-breasted 36-24-34 figure, but didn't get round to it until she was staying with friends in London, and contacted Donald Milne. These pictures are the result of her first modelling session. 'I was very nervous because it was my first time,' she told us. 'I had never done anything like that before.'

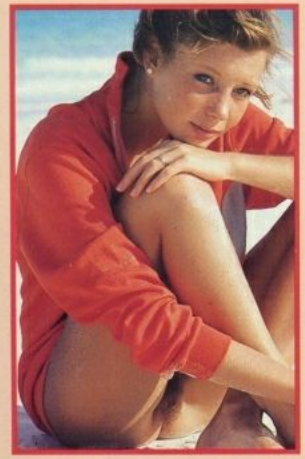
Wendy's friends live in Maida Vale, so she is a frequent visitor to London, sometimes doing part-time reception work. 'But I like coming home at weekends because I prefer Manchester. I still get lost in London.' She is not one for the big city nightlife. 'I'm not into drinking because it always makes me ill, and I don't like clubs.'

When she does go out, Wendy enjoys going to a restaurant — preferably Chinese, although you won't find her struggling with chop-sticks. 'I get too hungry for that, it's like using knitting needles.' To work off all the

noodles, Wendy swims 40 lengths of her local pool and runs five miles on alternate days. 'I would get fat other-wise.' She tells us she doesn't have time for a boyfriend, but said, 'I don't like pushy over-powering men. I go for the long-haired rock singer type.'

Valerie
PHOTOGRAPHED BY
JOHN PATRICK BURGESS

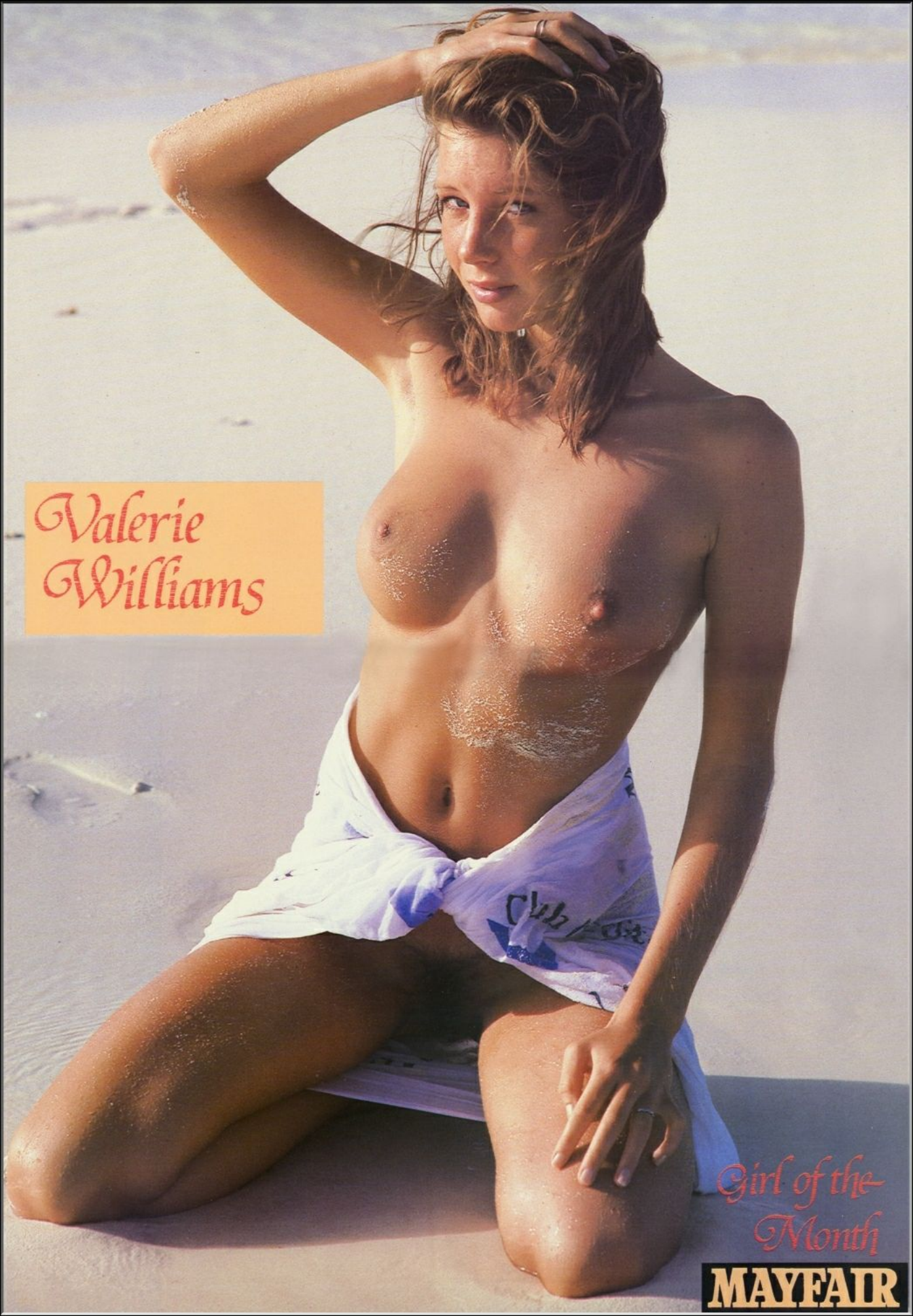
White sand, hot sun, a lithe brown body. 34-22-34. The sun casts deep shadows emphasising the curves. Who is she? A top model? Film star? Paramour of a business tycoon? She smiles with a warmth even greater than the beach's 95 degrees. 'I should be so lucky,' she says. She reaches into her bag and produces a card. 'Valerie Williams, Creative Consultant,' it reads, followed by the address of a PR company in W1. On holiday, then? 'No, work,' she sighed, stretching languidly.



A cushy job, Valerie. 'Far from it,' she says, sitting up. Her breasts bob as she moves. Her skin is like taut brown satin. She explains. 'I've been in a stuffy hotel for the past four hours entertaining clients, handing out leaflets and smiling — always smiling.' This is her tea break. Time to stretch on the sand. Unwind. Forget the constant background babbling of excited executives. Strip off. Let the rays on the Cote d'Azur do the work for a change.

Nor is it always like this, the 22-year-old explains. 'Last week I was in Bradford. It rained. The week before, it was Cardiff. It hailed. I have to make the most of this.' She lies down once more, turning slowly to reveal another deep brown valley.

The conference is just for a week. After that, Valerie returns to her two bedroom flat in Fulham, topping up her tan at the local solarium. Back to Italian meals and jogging to keep her figure. Back to her pet cat, Spider. Back to her search for a romantic boyfriend. But for her last few days, she can dream. Gallant men who send her flowers. Long deep kisses on moonlit nights. Pale pink silk sheets. 'It's what every girl thinks about when she's lying on a warm beach miles from home. Isn't it?'


Valerie
Williams
Girl of the
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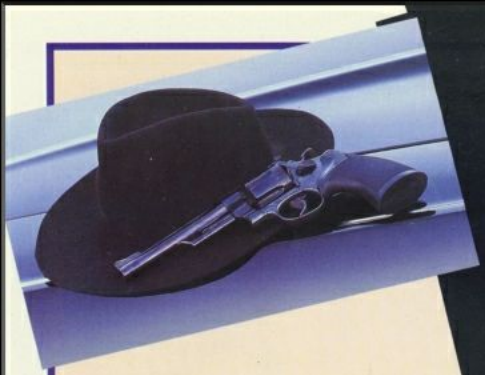
LINZI

PHOTOGRAPHED BY
JOANIE ALLUM

The large leather chair, a selection of saucy postcards stuck in the corners of the mirror, and the question, 'Something for the weekend, sir?' — three features of a trip to the barbers. How things have changed. Now, the person cutting your hair is more likely to be an attractive girl. And in Epsom, it could well have been 21-year-old stunner Linzi Mansell.

The 36-23-34 blonde from Croydon joined the hair-dressing trade as a receptionist before becoming a manageress, and for a time worked for the prestigious *Robert Fielding's* hair salon in Epsom High Street. But the bright lights of modelling beckoned. Now she uses her training to present a perfect picture before photographers' lenses.

Linzi's hair is not the only part of her that she can twist and curl. She is trained in balletic dance, passing her last exam with honours. Her ambition is to work on television or become a famous *Page Three* girl. And Linzi's just the girl to do it. She enjoys 'mucking in' she says, and gets on well with others. 'I love parties and discos, especially *Stringfellows*.'



THE NUDE AVENGERS

EMMA PEELED

Hi, I'm Emma, agent 01 (if you're calling from outside London). My job? Defending Britain from unwanted elements — criminals, hooligans, subversives. It was just another ordinary day, then . . .

The phone rang. It was Stead. 'Come quickly, Emma, we've just caught double agent Lomax.' 'OK, I'll change into my leather cat-suit.' 'There's no time for that,' replied Stead, 'Come as you are.' Did he know I'd just stepped out of the bath? Still, orders are orders. I packed my gun, put on my hat (I'd feel naked without it) and leaped into

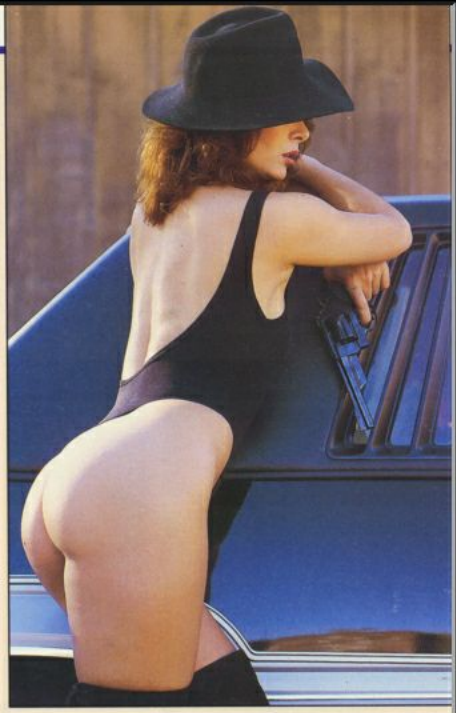
THE NUDE AVENGERS

starring

Diana Higgs as Emma

A Mayfair production

the Lotus Elan. Damn, it wouldn't start, I'd just have to settle for Daddy's big American job. I draw up at HQ to see Lomax making an escape. I leapt out. 'Freeze,' I cried, pointing the gun at his head. He froze — and so did I. After all it was nearly October.'



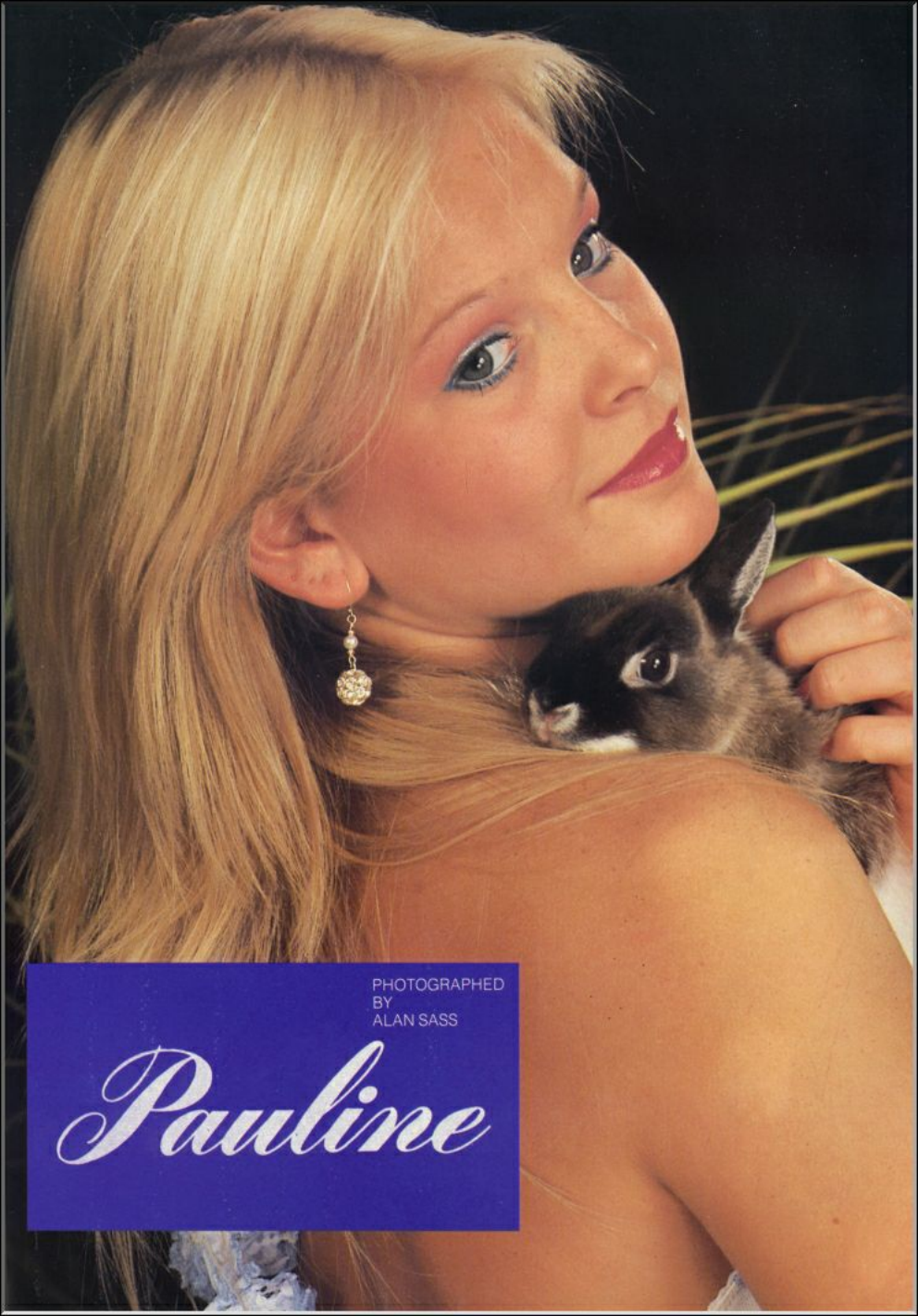
MARILYN

PHOTOGRAPHED BY AUSTIN LEGREW

'Some women are born barmaids; some achieve barmaidenhood, and some have it thrust upon them.' So says 21-year-old Marilyn Gorman, who has a way with words that, with her generous 36-25-35 figure makes her perfect barmaid material. 'I was actually thrust into it. My boyfriend owned his own pub.'

She grins at the recollection. 'Two of his staff went sick the same night, and he asked me to help out. I was terrified. I can't add up to save my life, but the customers seemed to like me. One old boy insisted I'd been serving at his previous local for years —!'

Perhaps it's her academic background that gives Marilyn her conversational ease. She has a diploma for teaching English as a foreign language, a skill which has taken her all over Europe, and on brief working holidays to Singapore and Tokyo. Whenever teaching palls, she heads for the nearest bar. 'A good barmaid can get a job anywhere, as Bet Lynch says,' she laughs. But does such a gypsy lifestyle leave time for boyfriends? 'Always! I like good looks but a good talker even better.'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ALAN SASS
Pauline

'I know it's my other furry little creature that will interest *Mayfair* readers more but can't my bunny be in the pictures as well. He goes everywhere with me,' asked 19-year-old Pauline Lee when she turned up for her photo session. We agreed to her request when she pointed out that Bugs had come all the way from Great Yarmouth with her, and promised he wouldn't cover up her sexy 36-24-34 figure.